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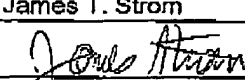
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		First Named Inventor	Mikio KAWAMOTO		
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For: ELECTRONIC-MAIL TRANSMISSION/RECEPTION APPARATUS HIERARCHIZING  
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 17, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on September 17, 2004. A Petition for One Month Extension of Time, together with the requisite fee, is enclosed thereby extending the response due date to Sunday, October 17, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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